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THE LEGACY FOUNDATION

**YEAR** 2011

**COUNTY**LAKE, PORTER, LAPORTE

CATEGORY
EDUCATION/OUTREACH

**GRANT AWARD** \$7,500

Local Share \$7,500



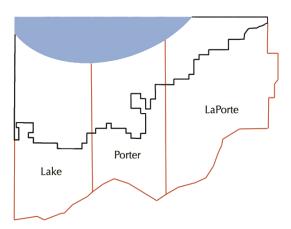
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## "Shifting Sands" Documentary

A five minute documentary film trailer was produced, which can inform diverse and broad audiences about how ongoing restoration of natural areas and changes in how industry operates, in the three shoreline counties on Lake Michigan, are improving the quality of life in Northwest Indiana. The five-minute trailer is to be used to obtain funding and other resources needed to produce an approximately one-hour long version of the documentary. The film celebrates the coastal region's unique natural resources and the history of how conflicts between economic development and environmental protection are being resolved by new and expanding partnerships among governments, not-for-profit organizations and corporations. The film demonstrates why the region is no longer a pollution sink but rather a place where major changes are increasing potential sustainability for both the region's economy and it's globally significant biodiversity and landscape. The film was designed to foster understanding regarding quality of life issues as pollution is reduced, natural area restoration is taking place, and sustainability is being proposed for both natural and industrial sites.



**RESULT:** A five minute documentary film trailer.